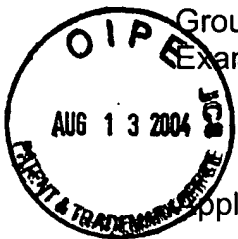


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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted as a partial response to the Office Action of July 26, 2004. In particular, the subject application described the relevancy of publications to Vellettaz et al. and Spector et al. An Information Disclosure Statement then was filed with what were believed to be complete copies of the two previously identified and described publications.

The Office Action of July 26, 2004 asserts that the copies submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement were not complete. The Examiner noted that the submission was bone fide attempt to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.98, but required the applicant and counsel to submit a complete copy within one month of the mailing date of the Office Action.

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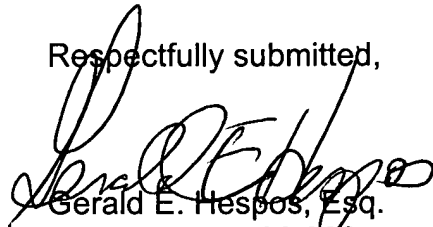
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This Information Disclosure Statement includes complete copies of the two references the references were previously identified on a Form PTO-1449, and hence it is believed to be unnecessary to provide other copy of that form.

An amendment to address the other issues raised in the Office Action will be filed in a timely manner.

Respectfully submitted,

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